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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Applicants hereby submit this in response to the Office Action mailed April 14, 2005
("Office Action").

A response to the Office Action was originally due July 14, 2005. Applicants hereby
petition for a three-month extension of time in which to submit a response or an amendment in
response to the Office Action. The fee for a three-month extension of time is \$1020 and a check
in that amount is enclosed. Therefore, the deadline for responding to the Office Action is now
October 14, 2005. Accordingly, this Amendment and Response is being timely filed.

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